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AVILA'S EVENING PROGRAM OFFERS NEW AND EXCITING PROGRAMS TO KANSAS CITY AREA

On Monday, July 23, the Admissions Department of Avila in conjunction with the Evening Division Faculty hosted a dinner on campus for business leaders and personnel directors from major Kansas City area businesses. The evening was planned to present the new programs offered in Avila's evening division in detail.

Fifty-one persons from area businesses, as well as Avila faculty and administration, were on hand to hear about the new concept in the Business Department, as well as the programs offered in Social Work, Psychology, Administration of Justice and Special Education. One exciting aspect of Avila's evening program is the three step program offered in most courses, which include the Bachelor of Arts degree, the Associate degree and the Certificate program.

During the past few months, Mrs. Jennewein of the Admissions Office has been calling on businesses and meeting with personnel directors and potential students, in order to explain more fully the programs open at Avila this fall. Materials have been distributed and mailed to most area businesses.

Highlighting the evening was a presentation by Sister Paulette Gladis, Chairman of the Business Department. In her presentation Sister explained the new programs available to the Business Administration major and outlined the new concepts of the Business Department. Sister advised those attending that Mrs. Jennewein is available for on-site counseling of employees who are interested in returning to college. Arrangements for this service may be made through the Admissions Office.

Dean Richard Scott spoke to the gathering about the Accredited Open Test Center on Avila's campus, explaining that all in the community may avail themselves of this process. This means that college credit may be granted for those passing examinations. This is through the College Level Examination Program (CLEP).

Dean Scott urged anyone interested in the evening programs or the test center to contact the college for additional information.

Registration for the fall semester will be held on campus August 29 and August 30. Avila is offering the community an exciting program, geared to the need of the community and the students.

Avila To Hold First Annual Tennis Tournament

Avila College will host its first annual tennis tournament on the campus courts the week of August 20. Registration must be made in advance. There will be novice women's doubles; open women's doubles; open men's doubles; and open mixed doubles. The tournament will begin at 8 a.m. on Monday, August 20. Trophies will be awarded. For additional information contact Bob Rehder, Co-ordinator of Student Activities, 942-3204



Mrs. Cathy Jennewein, Evening Division Counselor, doing follow up calling after Avila's Dinner for the Business Community.

ATTENTION . . . ALL BRIDGE PLAYERS

If you are interested in playing in the Avila Alumni Association Bridge Marathon we would like to hear from you!

We will play once a month from September through May. There are two groups, one that will play in the daytime and one at night.

If interested, please send your name, address and telephone number along with that of your partner, the time preference (day or evening) which you prefer to play and the \$10.00 fee (per person) to Mrs. Jerry (Janet) Taylor, 27 West 70th St., Kansas City, Missouri 64113.

Please make all checks payable to **Avila College** and remit no later than August 7. You will receive the bridge rules and play schedule. If you need additional information, please contact Mrs. Taylor at 361-2449 or Mrs. Charles Schmidt at 642-5355.

Sharon Hunter '72 won first prize of fifty dollars (amateur class) for an acrylic landscape in an art auction sponsored by Delta Delta Delta Sorority at the Leawood South Country Club.

GRANTS AWARDED AVILA

Avila has recently been notified that the college is to receive a \$5000 federal grant under Title II of the Higher Education Act of 1965. The grant, awarded through the College Library Resources Program, will be used to increase the library materials, including films, tapes, and cassettes, in the Special Education and Reading Education areas. Also, it will be used to strengthen and update resources available in the area of urban studies, minority and ethnic studies, and community mental health.

Notification was also received that Avila will receive a federal grant of \$1100.00 from the Office of Education of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The grant, awarded through the Veterans' Cost of Instruction Program, is designed to enable Avila to increase its services to veterans. The number of veterans attending Avila has more than doubled in the last year, indicating a need for expanded services. The grant will be used to increase efforts to interest veterans in participating in a wide range of educational opportunities available and to provide professional assistance to the veterans for counseling on personal, educational, and career problems.

The Department of Nursing has been the recipient of two federal grants from the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Authorized by the Nurse Training Act of 1971, the first grant of \$19,765 was awarded to aid in the improvement of the nursing program. Program improvements will focus on the following objectives:

1. education for new roles in nursing,
2. the establishment of a cooperative interdisciplinary training program,
3. an increase in student enrollment and nurse manpower,
4. the improvement of the nursing curriculum, and
5. an increase in the educational opportunities for the disadvantaged.

A second grant of \$10,493 has also been received by the Nursing Department. This grant in the area of curriculum development is designed to assist in the integration of mental health nursing into the total nursing curriculum.

Sharon Morgan '64 has coauthored a book entitled *Training Teachers for the Emotionally Disturbed: An Analysis of Programs* with two of her graduate professors at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, where she is completing her doctoral study. The book has just been published by the School of Education at the University of Michigan. Sharon has accepted a position as Assistant Professor at the University of Colorado, where her primary responsibilities will be in research and program development together with teaching one or perhaps two classes.

Gala Evening of Dinner and Musical

*Sponsored by the Avila College Theatre Guild
and the Goppert Bank & Trust Company
at the Waldo Astoria
Kansas City's newest Dinner Playhouse
presenting*

A FUNNY THING HAPPENED ON THE WAY TO THE FORUM

Tuesday, August 21, 1973
For the benefit of Avila's new
GOPPERT THEATRE



Sister Audrey Olson of Avila College pays a call on her Congressman, Richard Bolling, on a recent visit to the Nation's Capital. Congressman Bolling has made many visits to Avila and addressed the students a number of times. He welcomes visits from students and faculty alike.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

September 9, 1973

President's Open House — on campus

September 25, 1973

Media Appreciation Night — on campus

October 1, 1973

Homecoming — on campus

WEDDINGS

CLASS '61

Katherine Ann Leitner, daughter of Mrs. Stephen A. Leitner, to Lionel Aguilar on October 21 at Redemptorist Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '66

Mary Elaine Devaney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Devaney, to Dennis Martin on April 7 in St. Elizabeth Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '67

Patricia Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Johnson, to Richard Pedersen in April, 1973.

CLASS '69

Susan Elizabeth Putthoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Putthoff, to Norman Douglas Hussey on June 2 in St. Regis Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '70

Lila Jean Krabbe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle E. Krabbe, to Dr. Ralph Baldwin Fillmore on June 30 in a military wedding, San Diego, California.

Patricia Jane Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wagner, to Thomas Schmidt on April 23 at St. Francis de Sales Church, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.

Mary Ann Weinand, daughter of Mrs. Leonard Anthony Weinand and the late Mr. Weinand, to Michael Weaver Toohey on June 23 at St. Ann's Church, Prairie Village, Kansas

CLASS '71

Maureen Ann Welsh, daughter of LTC (Ret.) and Mrs. John Louth Welsh, to Robert Glennon Windmeyer on May 5 in St. Teresa of Avila Church, Augusta, Georgia.

Linda Susan Mergen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fran-J. Mergen, to Joel Dalton on April 28 in Sacred Heart Church, Sedalia, Missouri

CLASS '72

Kathryn Marie Diesko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Diesko, to Gregory Johnson on November 24 in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Lynn Beverly Pollock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Pollock, to James Wilfred Mader, on December 29 in St. Catherine's Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Kathy Ann Sonnenberg, daughter of Mrs. Raymond J. Sonnenberg and the late Mr. Sonnenberg, to Dr. Patrick James Bannon on May 12 in Visitation Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '73

Lisa Marie Shambaugh, daughter of Mrs. Beverly Wilson, to William D. Smith on June 2 at St. Emydius Church, Lynwood, California.

Jane Frances Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Adams, to Richard Paul Brummel on May 26 in Christ the King Church, Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Terry Beth Bickell, daughter of the late Mr. William Bickell, to Paul David Blackman on May 27 at New Reform Temple, Kansas City, Missouri.

Ann Adair Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Gardner, to Christopher A. Funk on December 25 at the home of the bride's parents.

Margaret Ann Reutter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Michael Reutter, to Alan Peter Wight on June 22 at Guardian Angels Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Katherine Harvey "Kay" Tanner, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Tanner, to David Scott on June 30 at Central United Church of Christ, Jefferson City, Missouri.

Patricia Ann Wosman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian F. Wosman, to David Clary on June 23 at St. Anthony of Padua Church, St. Louis, Missouri.

Barbara Joanne Bottiger, goddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Cusack, to Dennis Patrick Lawrence on May 20 at St. Elizabeth Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Billie Patricia De Rouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. De Rouse, to **Craig Michael Ratkey '72**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Ratkey, on May 27 in the Rose Garden, Loose Park, Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '74

Kathryn Ann Parsons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore M. Parsons, to Richard Louis Miller on June 2 in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Joyce Scantlin, daughter of Mrs. Mary Ellen Scantlin and the late Mr. Scantlin, to John Wooldridge on May 19 at St. Patrick's Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Mary Lynn Dierks, daughter of Mrs. John W. Dierks (**Kathryn Batliner '43**) and the late Mr. Dierks, to Robert Anthony Svoboda on May 19 at St. Ann's Church, Prairie Village, Kansas.

Linda Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Brown, to **Donald Tabberer**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Tabberer, on June 15 at St. Ann's Church, Prairie Village, Kansas.

Connie Finkemeier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Finkemeier, to Keith Allen Dorsch on June 9 at St. Luke's United Church of Christ, Wellington, Missouri.

Mary Margaret Magette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Magette, to Joseph Thomas Sixta on June 30 at St. Peter's Cathedral, Kansas City, Kansas.

Barbara Ann Breuer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnson Breuer, to Doyle Glen White on June 9 at St. Agnes Cathedral, Springfield, Missouri.

Jan Maurycy Eckdall, daughter of Mrs. F. J. Eckdall and the late Dr. Eckdall, to Geary Grantham on June 23 at the First Presbyterian Church, Emporia, Kansas.

Claudia Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude D. Kelley, to James Joseph Gant on May 27 at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '75

Deborah Elizabeth Church, daughter of Mrs. Frank Church and the late Mr. Church, to Stephen Dale Gordon at Visitation Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Teresa Jeanne Serrano, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Z. Serrano, to James Harold Gorham on June 23 at St. Augustine's Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Peggy Mackay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Mackay, to John Robert Stroud on April 19 in Johnson County Christian Church, Overland Park, Kansas.

CLASS '76

Barbara Roellchen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roellchen, to Albert Hansen on May 12 in Unity Village Rose Garden, Lee's Summit, Missouri.

BIRTHS

CLASS '52

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Jordan (**Rosetta Pedicini**), a son, Joseph Rocco, on May 21 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '60

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howlett (**Patricia Ann Todd**), a son, Fred Michael, on August 15 in Fanwood, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Stimeling (**Margaret Reinhart**), an adopted daughter, Kathleen Ann, on April 28 in San Diego, California.

CLASS '61

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. White (**Ursula Gastreich**), a son, Alexander Martin, on January 14 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '62

Mr. and Mrs. John Michael Daley (**Margaret Hernandez**), an adopted daughter, Carolyn Elaine, on May 8 in Arlington, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Emonds (**Ann Mary Banfield**), a son, Peter Alfred, on January 26 in Santa Monica, California.

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Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hauber, Jr. (**Joyce Hood**), a son, Mark Edward, on February 16 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Wickey (**Mary Frances Borser-ine**), a daughter, Andrea Suzanne, on April 6 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '63

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Kremer (**Rosanel Gulotta**), a daughter, Kathryn Jo, on March 26 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '64

Mr. and Mrs. Michael T. Dowd (**Judith Dillon**), a son, Jeffrey Paul, on September 20 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald H. Altman (**Judith Ficek**), a daughter, Ellen Jane, on September 29 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Dr. and Mrs. Alan Merten (**Sally Otto**), a daughter, Melissa Helen, on May 16 in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Feindel (**Virginia Thomas**), a son, Shawn Patrick, on July 10 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '65

Dr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Garwood (**Julie Murphy**), a son, Bryan Michael, on March 31 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Dr. and Mrs. William Bartholome (**Marita O'Rourke**), a daughter, Sheila Elizabeth, in July in Kansas City, Missouri.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Francis Hickey (**Carol Thomas**), a son, Christopher James, in June in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Copeland (**Cynthia Major**), a daughter, Valerie Sue, on January 31 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Engel (**Frances Minges**), a daughter, Laura Ann, on March 14 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nordstrom (**Elena O'Shea**), a son, Matthew Benjamin, on March 17 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harding Rhodes (**Sue Stephenson**), a son, Martin Wesley Conway, on April 26 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '66

Mr. and Mrs. James Boedeker (**Helen Egan**), a daughter, Jane Egan, on May 8 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon A. Scherer (**Betty Ann Wolf**), a daughter, Eileen Margaret, on April 28 in Kansas City, Kansas.

CLASS '67

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Maxwell (**Julianne Dold**), a daughter, Christina Louise, on July 27 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '68

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon D. Jolly (**Andrea Richter**), two sons, Benjamin Duboise Maximillian, and a daughter, Stacey Alexandra, on May 16 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rosenthal, Jr. (**Bettye Cobb**), a son, Albert Jules, III, on March 19 in Augusta, Georgia.

CLASS '69

Mr. and Mrs. Larry E. Sole (**Mary Jo Gravino**), a son, Matthew Owen, on February 5 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Dean Kottwitz (**Gary Dean Kottwitz '73** and **Mary Patricia Aylward**), a son, Andrew Aylward, on May 16 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel P. Saviano (**Vicki Hapke**), a son, Samuel David, on July 23 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '70

Mr. and Mrs. Robert John Bosley (**Loretta Ann Knipper**), a son, Christopher Mark, on April 3 in Lawrence, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whalen Frick (**Karyl Mary Keffler**), a son, Brian Patrick, on March 31 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Gangel (**Kay Harkins**), a daughter, Anne Gabrielle, on June 14 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Vincent Hare (**Judith Ann Lenihan**), a son, Daniel Lawrence, on April 27 in Overland Park, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary John Klein (**Christine Ann Lutz**), a daughter, Lynn Suzanne, on July 24 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Newman (**Kathleen G. Keller**), a son, Christopher Keller, on September 27 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '71

Mr. and Mrs. William Randall Hartman (**Kathleen Marie Corrigan**), a son, Kyle Randall, on May 24 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '74

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kreher (**Janiece Chaperlo**), a son, Jeffrey Brian, on May 14 in Kansas City, Missouri.

DEATHS

CLASS '36

Mr. Nicholas Arcuri, father of Mrs. William Sweeney (**Marie Arcuri**), on May 7 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '42

Mr. John J. Donnelly, Sr., brother of **Mary Golden Donnelly**, on April 25 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '45

Mr. George M. Denzel, father-in-law of Mrs. Robert A. Denzel (**Patricia Spurrier**) and grandfather of Mrs. Jerry De Loyd Mitchell (**Mary Ann Denzel '70**), on June 14 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '52

Mr. Rocco Pedicini, father of Mrs. Joseph C. Jordan (**Rosetta Pedicini**) and father-in-law of Mrs. Michelangelo Pedicini (**Jo Ann Palmer '53**), on April 17 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '58

Mrs. Margaret I. Malmberg, mother of Mrs. Phillip H. Nickerson (**Barbara Malmberg**), on April 18 in North Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. James W. Tobin, father of Mrs. Frances R. Galiano (**Alice Tobin**) and Mrs. Charles Louis Schorgl (**Nancy Tobin '61**), on June 16 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '62

Mr. Herbert C. Duke, father-in-law of Mrs. Thomas C. Duke (**Paula Schmidt**), on April 16 in Grove, Oklahoma.

Mr. Matthew J. Soptick, father of Mrs. Gerald Theron Elliott (**Alyce Marie Soptick**), on June 15 in Kansas City, Missouri.

CLASS '64

Mrs. Don E. Sharp, mother-in-law of Mrs. Donald R. Sharp (**Mary Michelle Bien**), on April 18 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. Henry A. Harrell, father of **Mrs. Gilda Manning**, on May 19 in Stover, Missouri.

Mr. Gerald Edward Dunn, brother of Mrs. Michael Crawford (**Mary Ann Dunn**), on June 11 in a boating accident in Brownsville, Kentucky.

CLASS '73

Mrs. Hazel Fieth, mother of **Suzanne Fieth**, in May in Kansas City, Missouri.